

Identification Statement of the Wyoming Christian Reformed Church

We are the Wyoming Christian Reformed Church. Standing on the infallible Word of God, in the tradition of the Reformed faith as it's expressed in the Heidelberg Catechism, Belgic Confession and Canons of Dort, we boldly proclaim and celebrate the coming of God's kingdom in Jesus Christ. By the strength of His Spirit we gather and enfold newcomers into His covenant of grace. We teach and equip believers and their baptized children for obedient, loving service in all areas of life to the praise of our heavenly Father.

Regarding Worship: Amidst the wide range of worship practices in our culture today, we maintain that worship is a meeting between God and His people in which God is praised and His people are blessed. Worship must be centered on the preaching of the word – the primary means of grace. We deem it a blessing to assemble twice on the Lord's Day to praise His name. Worship is our highest calling and joy.

Regarding Moral and Ethical Living: The Bible is our guide for life. It addresses the sanctity of life (Ex 20:13), the roles of men and women in the church and home (1 Tim 2:11-15; Eph 5:22-23), the proper attitude toward material possessions (1 Tim 6:3-10).

In short, the Bible addresses every aspect of our lives. In our world ravaged by moral relativism, we affirm that all the principles for Christian living revealed in the Bible and summarized in the Ten Commandments, remain normative for our lives today. The church's task is to proclaim these principles and to call sinners to repentance and faith in Jesus Christ. With love and compassion, we practice church discipline and encourage penitent believers in their continual battle against the kingdom of darkness.

To strengthen our identity in Christ, we seek contact and fellowship with churches of like mind.

Council Members

Elders

John Krale ('21) Chair & Pulpit Supply

John DeBoer ('21) Vice-Chair

Craig DeBoer ('19) Vice-All

Ron Boelens ('19)

Ben Dekker ('20)

Ryan Nutma ('20)

Deacons

Nick Jonkman ('20) Chair

Chris Pool ('21) Clerk

Zack Jackson ('21) Finance

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Bulletin Information Deadline: Please submit all bulletin announcements no later than Thursday 12pm to Brenda Beintema at wyomingcrcbulletin@gmail.com or bulletin@wyomingcrc.net.

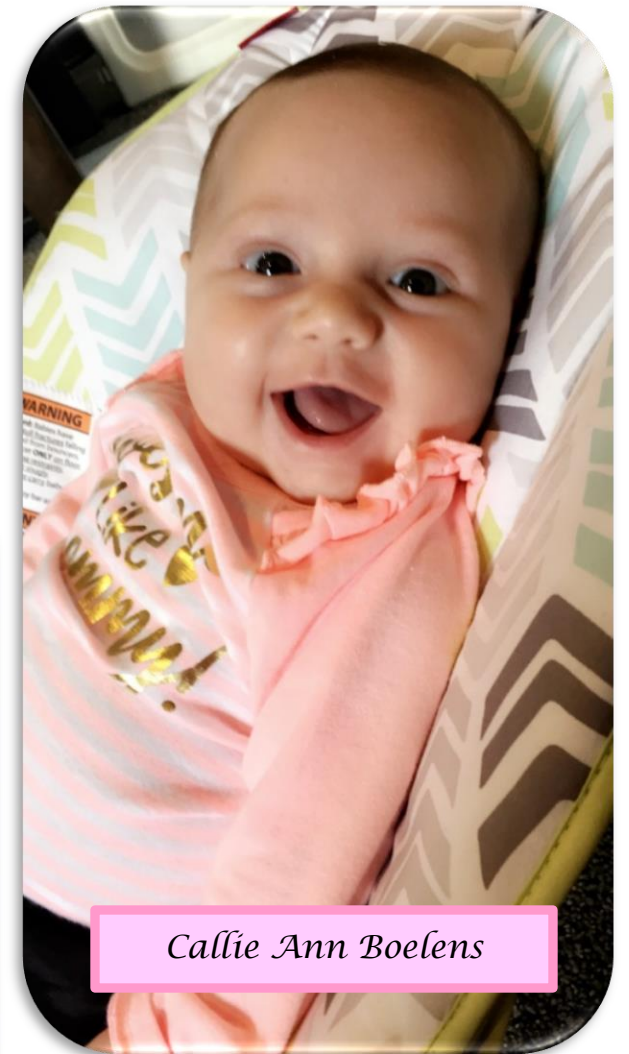
Administrative Assistant Hours: Tuesday 9:00am-12:00pm, Wed-Fri 9:00am-1:00pm.

Sunday Services: May – September 10am & 6:30 pm; October – April 10am & 3:00 pm

Sunday Service C.D.: CD's are available for shut-ins. CD's are also available in the library.



Jonathan Frank Huybers



Callie Ann Boelens



*Wyoming Christian
Reformed Church*

April 28, 2019

Welcome to our worship services in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. If you come as a visitor today, we hope you will leave as a friend. Whether you are a newcomer to the community or to our church, we are honoured to have you here. May we all be strengthened and encouraged by the proclamation of the gospel. After the morning service, everyone is invited for coffee and juice in the fellowship hall downstairs.



Sunday School: Children aged 3-8 are invited to go downstairs for Sunday School after the children’s message and a short prayer of blessing. Parents, please feel free to follow the teachers out and ask them any questions you may have. As we obediently “*train children in the way they should go,*” may it be our prayer that “*they will not turn from it when they are older*” (Proverbs 22:6).

If we can be of any service to you (if you have a prayer request or would like more information about our church and the programs we offer), please do not hesitate to get in touch with an elder or deacon. We are here to “...serve each other in love.” - Galatians 5:13

Elders

Ron Boelens 519-845-3407
Ben Dekker 519-899-4769

Deacons

Nick Jonkman 519-899-2566
Chris Pool 519-845-1614

Hall Monitor: Nick Jonkman

Announcements: Ben Dekker

NEXT WEEK: Zack Jackson

Offerings:

April 28 AM Church, JKCS Ed Relief
 PM Petrolia Food Grains Bank

May 5 AM Church, Operation Manna

BANNER MEANING: The Holy Spirit (dove) brings the gift of faith in Jesus (cross)to the person. The cross is centered in the three drops of water used to baptize in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

APRIL 2019						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29 7:00pm Finance Meeting	30 8:00pm Youth Group				
MAY 2019						
			1	2 7:30pm Worship Committee Meeting	3	4
5 Rev. Hoogland Retirement Potluck	6	7	8	9 7:30pm Elders Meeting	10 SENIORS	11
12 Mother's Day	13	14 7:30pm Deacons Meeting	15	16 7:00pm Evangelism/Ministry Development	17	18
19	20	21	22	23 7:30pm Full Council Meeting	24	25

Volunteers

Mother of the Month: Samantha Boer

April 28

Nursery: Jenn VanRooyen, Stephanie DeBoer, Mckayla Beintema, Nicole Schiestel
Sunday School: 3&4-Nancy VanWyk, 5&6-Hilda Sipkens, 7&8-Ang Huizinga
Door Keepers: John & Gertie Krale, Jack Koetsier
Coffee Servers: Doreen Deelstra & Wilma Luth, Arend & Mary DeHaan
Ushers: Zack Jackson, Sandra Woudstra
Accompanist: AM Bert VanRooyen
 PM Diana Schenk
Tech: AM Mike DeBoer, Chris Jackson
 PM Brenda Beintema

May 5

Nursery: Maggie Boersma, Renee Schiestel, Austin Hoekstra, Katelyn VanRooyen
Sunday School: 3&4-Sylvia VanderWal, 5&6-Amelia Nutma, 7&8-Cindy Boelens
Door Keepers: Olga Anjema, Audrey VanRuitenbureg, Grace Hoogland & Caron Sipkens
Coffee Servers: Harry & Edith-Ann Poort, Renold & Brenda Beintema
Ushers: Zack Jackson, Curtis Jackson
Accompanist: AM Bert VanRooyen
Tech: AM

May God shower you with Blessings on your Birthday!

April 28th Jane Dam
April 30th Angela Huizinga, Zack Jackson, Devon Poort
May 1st Wytze DeRoos, Benjamin Krale, Colin Tweedy
May 3rd Sid Nutma, Debbie Verroen
May 4th John DeBoer



TODAYS WORSHIP

"I love you, O LORD, my strength." Psalm 18:1

We come together on this beautiful Sunday to celebrate the sacrament of baptism where Aaron & Nicole Boelens will present Callie Ann and Chris & Heidi Huybers present Jonathan Frank.

NEXT WEEK

Next week, Lord willing, we will celebrate the retirement of Rev. Bill Hoogland with coffee and cake after church followed by a potluck lunch.

CHURCH FAMILY

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

- Rory DeBoer continues to improve each day.
- John Krale had his last radiation treatments this past week.

Remember in prayer Theresa Boelens, Noah Boer's father Greg, Bill Boersma, Arie & Margurite Brouwer, Rick DeBoer, Jean Hoving, Fred Poort, Gertie Sipkens, John VanderTil and others unable to worship with us.

FROM COUNCIL

NOMINATIONS: We continue, as congregation to think about, and also get nominations for the replacement of Elders and Deacons. This year we need to three Elders and one Deacon. Our procedure is to solicit nominations from the congregation and submit these nominations to council. All male members of our congregation who are members in good standing are eligible to be nominated. Please prayerfully consider allowing your name to stand.

CALLING COMMITTEE: Council is looking for members to be on the calling committee. If you are interested in being a part of finding a minister for our congregation, please contact John Krale for more information.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: With plans underway for this year's VBS, we are looking for more volunteers to make this year's outreach a success. The theme is ROAR, where the kids will learn about how God is Good. If you are interested in helping for that week (July 22-26) please contact Jen DeBoer or Heidi Huybers.

MOTHER'S DAY SLIDE SHOW: This year once again we will be having a Mother's Day slide show. Please send all pictures to Chris Jackson (leafman@xcelco.on.ca) by *May 5th*. Looking forward to seeing all those pictures to celebrate Moms.

ATTENTION SENIORS: On *Friday, May 10th* we will be having a dinner at 6:00pm with a social evening to follow. Hope you see you all there.

PETITION TO THE HOUSE OF COMMONS: You will find a petition in the fellowship hall, as well as on the ledge by the mail slots. This petition calls upon the House of Commons to enact legislation granting full legal protection to the child not yet born from the beginning of his/her biological development as a human being-the same protection granted to any other human being. We also urge the house of commons to show leadership in fostering a life sustaining society.

NO SMOKING: We have a policy of no smoking on church property.

MENTORING: There is a sign-up sheet in the basement for anyone willing to become involved in a mentoring/discipling program. Please prayerfully consider how you can be involved. Jesus gave us a wonderful example; He disciplined his followers, then sent them out to disciple others. He intentionally poured Himself into the lives of others. What blessing and growth there will be for us as we follow His example.

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

LEMONADE AND BAKE SALE: On *Friday, May 3* John Knox will be setting up a Lemonade stand & Bake Sale at the Spring Market that Studio 651 will be hosting. We are in need of some baked goods to sell! If you like to bake, or know someone who does, please help us out by making some baked treats, desserts or candies. All proceeds will go to John Knox Christian School! We need things that are able to sit out on a table for a while, so nothing frozen.

ALSO, please package treats individually, or in sets of 4 or 6. We will take care of labelling and pricing the items!

Please let us know if you would like to help out and what you want to make so we have a good variety. These items can be dropped off at my home any time on Thursday, May 2 or before noon on Friday, May 3 at 498 Thames St in Wyoming

2-PITCH TOURNAMENT: John Knox Christian School is pleased to announce the return of its annual 2-pitch tournament! Come on out on *Saturday, June 22* for a fun filled day! Gather your friends & family and make a team. There must be 2 females on the field at all times. Anyone 14+ is welcome to make a team and play in this tournament. The cost is \$300 per team with 8-10 players per team. Lunch and refreshments will be available for purchase throughout the day. Smoking and alcohol consumption is not permitted! Please contact Robin Belanger at (519) 402-2319 or belanger.patandrobin@gmail.com to sign up!

PRINCIPAL POSITION: The JKCS Board of Directors is in search of a spiritually mature, energetic and inspiring principal who will serve as the senior staff member of the school. Candidates are expected to be proactive and visionary educational leaders who have demonstrated leadership and integrity at a comparable academic institution with a track record of academic excellence while creating a safe and professional culture of learning. Required qualifications include: having an ON-teaching certification, a Master's Degree (or working towards one), demonstrated school leadership, and involvement and faithful attendance at a Reformed church.

If you believe you are called to serve in this capacity, please send a cover letter, resume, statement of faith, philosophy of Christian education, and references. Please contact Mark Sipkens at msipkens@gmail.com for the full job posting.

JOHN KNOX CHRISTIAN SCHOOL - is looking for a bus driver to help finish off the school year. If you or someone you know, has a bus license and would be willing to drive for the rest of the school year, please contact Darren DeGroot at 519-466-0900

JOHN KNOX CHRISTIAN SCHOOL TEACHING POSITION: Our local Christian school is seeking a full-time grade four teacher to start the new school year in September of 2019. Join our passionate teaching team and bring your exciting ideas, your dedication, and your abilities to the task with a Christ-centered, Bible-based perspective in the Reformed tradition. We value excellence all around, but particularly in language arts, math, science, and French. Strengths and gifts in music are definite assets. An OTC is required and a CSTC preferred. To apply please include a cover letter, résumé, statement of faith, pastor's letter, and a philosophy of Christian education. Information can be mailed, emailed, or brought in person to the school by *Wednesday, May 1*. Attention: Principal Ymko Boersma
John Knox Christian School, 4738 Confederation Line, P.O. Box 81, Wyoming, Ontario
Ph: 519 845 3112, email: info@wyomingjkcs.com

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

IT'S TIME TO RISE TO THE CHALLENGE WITH EDUDEO GO: EduDeo GO is a national walk, run, bike, or swim challenge to raise funds and impact the students of Espacio de Gracia in the Dominican Republic. Working together from **April 15 – May 24**, we want to collectively walk, run, bike, and swim around the world in 40 days. Will you join us? To learn more and register, visit edudeo.com/GO, or call our office at 1-866-360-4274.

LAMBTON RIGHT TO LIFE BAKE SALE-Saturday, May 11 We are holding our annual Bake Sale on Saturday May 11 at DeGroot's Nursery. Support the cause by bringing some baked goods for the sale - either to the nursery between 8 and 9 a.m., or to Zekveld's Garden Market on Friday the 10th during business hours.

DAN BREMNES CANADIAN TOUR – Sarnia Concert May 13 at 7:00 PM

This Spring, travel 'round the world and back again with Juno Award-winning singer/songwriter Dan Bremnes as he touches down in Canada for the "Wherever I Go" Tour, hitting 20+ cities across Canada. Supporting Dan Bremnes is the Juno Award-winning band, The Color. Perfect for the whole family, let Canada's own Dan Bremnes rekindle your wanderlust with an unforgettable evening filled with stories, song, and worship that will remind you that no matter how far and wide life's journey takes you, love and faith will follow you to the end of the world...and back. General admission tickets are only \$10. VIP tickets are \$35 and tickets at sold at the door will be \$20. Tickets are available online at <https://www.danbremnes.com/> or from the office of Redeemer CRC (Tues, Wed, Thurs, 9AM-1PM, cash only)

CONCERT: On **Friday, May 17**, Covenant Christian Church in Wyoming will have the privilege to host a fun-filled musical evening with Christian singer-songwriter Jamie Soles. Jamie is from Grande Prairie, Alberta and his Bible-saturated music has strong appeal for kids, families, and basically anyone with ears for the stories and psalms of the Scriptures. If you love how the whole Bible testifies of Jesus, you will love his music. The concert will begin at 7 pm as we hope to see lots of young families out. Cost will be \$15/person or \$45/family. Recordings will also be available for purchase.

Shalom Israel, The 'Holy Land' Journey - Pastor Stephen of Trinity Christian Reformed Church in Goderich, Ontario is planning a guided tour of Israel from November 21-December 1, 2019. This tour will allow you to experience firsthand the places of the Bible and the land where Jesus lived. During the tour we will go to Capernaum, Sea of Galilee, Jericho, Jordan River, Masada, Ein Gedi, Dead Sea, Caesarea Philippi, Tel Dan, Nazareth, Megiddo, Jerusalem and the Garden Tomb. At each location we will spend time reading scripture and learning how it applies to our lives. You can find more information about this tour by visiting <http://gotourisrael.com>. If you are interested or want more information you can contact Pastor Stephen at 519.955.4148 or trinity.pastorstephen@gmail.com.

FAMILY OUTREACH ONTARIO: Statistics tell us that alcoholism and /or drug abuse affects 1 in 3 families. Are you one of the three affected? If you are, find out more by calling 1-888-809-0464 or visit www.familyoutreachontario.com . Confidentiality guaranteed.

ARE YOU A GOOD LISTENER? Volunteers needed to place calls to seniors and persons with disabilities who live alone and are isolated. "Tel-Check volunteers are my guardian angels". Call Family Counselling Centre-Donna-519-336-0120



Hey kids!!

Today, we will be singing our song, "Oh How Good is Christ the Lord." Let us sing our best and bring a blessing to all who hear us!!

We will learn a new song for this next month. Look for the song sheet in your mailslots!

Please continue to bring food in for the Petrolia food bank!

10:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Welcome

*Gathering Song: *Ten Thousand Reasons, LUYH 559*

*Call to Worship: *from Psalm 18*

*Silent Prayer

*Hymn of Response: *Abba, Father*

*God's Greeting

*Song of Praise: *Who You Say I Am*

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Song: *O God, Great Father, Lord and King, LUYH 801*

*Song of Celebration: *In Christ Alone, LUYH 770*

CHILDREN'S TIME

Meditation & Prayer

(children leave for Sunday School)

Song of Approach: *Ancient Words, LUYH 762*

GOD'S WORD READ & PROCLAIMED

Scripture: *Proverbs 22:1-16*

Sermon: *On Their Way*

*Song of Response: *May the Mind of Christ My Savior, vs.1-5; LUYH 334*

WORSHIP WITH GIVING

Offerings Introduced & Received

Offering Prayer

GOD HEARS & BLESSES

Prayers of God's People

*Doxology: *Sing to the King, LUYH 474*

*Benediction

*Three-fold Amen

3:00 P.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Gathering Song: *Within Thy Temple, Lord, BH 89*

Call to Worship

Silent Prayer

Song of Response: *All Glory Be to God On High, vs.1,2; LUYH 542*

*God's Greeting

*Song of Praise: *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus, vs.1,2,3; LUYH 831*

GOD INVITES PROFESSION

*Apostles Creed

*Song of Response: *Alleluia, Alleluia, Hearts to Heaven, vs.1,4; LUYH 179*

GOD SPEAKS TO US

Scripture: *John 14:15-31*

Lord's Day 8

Q & A 24

Sermon: *3 In One*

*Song of Response: *Creator Spirit By Whose Aid, LUYH 523*

WE RESPOND IN FAITH

Offerings Introduced & Received

Offertory Prayer

*Doxology: *Glory Be to the Father, LUYH 961*

*Benediction

*Three-fold Amen